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**Request  
For  
Continued Examination (RCE)  
Transmittal**

**Address to:**  
**Mail Stop RCE**  
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**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

<i>Application Number</i>	09/898,653
<i>Filing Date</i>	July 3, 2001
<i>First Named Inventor</i>	Michael Perani and Yong Joo
<i>Group Art Unit</i>	2672
<i>Examiner Name</i>	Chante E. Harrison
<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	07844-507001

**This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.**  
Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114** Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s)

a.  Previously submitted. If a final Office action is outstanding, any amendment filed after the final Office action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.

i.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_

ii.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

b.  Enclosed

i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply	iii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
ii. <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)	iv. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____

2. **Miscellaneous**

a.  Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required)

b.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

3. **Fee** The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when the RCE is filed.

a.  The Director is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 06-1050

i. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)	07/29/2004 WARDEL1 00000083 09898653
ii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17)	01 FC:1801 770.00 OP
iii. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <u>Any deficiencies</u>	07/29/2004 WARDEL1 00000083 09898653

b.  Check in the amount of \$ 880.00 enclosed

c. <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 enclosed)	02 FC:1251 110.00 OP
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iii.  Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)  
iv.  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY OR AGENT REQUIRED**

Name (Print/Type)	Brian J. Gustafson	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	52,978
Signature		Date	July 26, 2004

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING OR TRANSMISSION**

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